

Dear sirs: I am opposed to raising the percentage of national broadcast capability a single entity or its partners can own and operate from 35% to 45%. It is clearly not in the public interest of diversity that such deregulation be allowed to commence. The fact that this issue is being considered under intense lobbying pressure by corporate parties standing to profit substantially at the expense of the public interest and of less hardy competitors, indicates the significant consequences at stake for everyone. With all due respect to the integrity of your commission, this issue should be debated before and decided by the U.S. Congress. Please find in favor of maintaining the 35% cap.